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For: METHOD FOR WATER)	Date: July 20, 2006
HAMMERLESS OPENING OF FLUID)	
PASSAGE, AND METHOD FOR)	
SUPPLYING CHEMICAL)	
SOLUTIONS AND DEVICE FOR)	
WATER HAMMERLESS OPENING)	
FOR WHICH THE METHOD IS)	
USED)	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT (A)

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Sir:

Prior to calculating the filing fee, and preliminary to examination on the merits, please amend the application identified above as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 12 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.